

4.4.3 MPhil (Futures Studies)

Admission requirements

- Postgraduate Diploma in Futures Studies, with an average of at least 65%.

Selection

The number of students selected can be influenced by, for example, staff capacity and the availability of resources within the School, as well as academic merit and University transformation objectives. As staff capacity and resources can fluctuate from year to year, the number of students selected can also differ from year to year.

Should the number of applicants that meet the admission requirements exceed the available capacity of the School, the criteria in the admission requirements will be used to rank the applicants in order of suitability, and to finalise the list of selected applicants.

Application procedure and closing date

Apply online by **31 January** of the year in which you wish to study: www.usb.ac.za/usb-mphil-futures-application-information.

Duration of programme and starting date

Duration: Two years.

Starting date: February.

Programme's mode of delivery

Hybrid learning.

Enquiries

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Programme structure

This programme is presented at the Bellville Park campus and online in a hybrid mode.

In the hybrid mode student have the option to attend compulsory classes either synchronously online or face-to-face (F2F) on campus. Detailed schedules are available on the Stellenbosch Business School website.

Programme content

Programme module

You must earn a total of 180 credits for this programme.

Code	Module	Credits	Module Name	Semester
51330	889	180	Futures studies	Both

All modules are compulsory.

The coursework modules count 100 credits and the research assignment 80 credits.

Code	Module	Credits	Module Name	Semester
13212	874	30	Applied Future Studies	Both
60070	873	10	Demographics	Both
60054	873	20	Qualitative and Quantitative Future Research Methods	Both
60100	875	80	Research Assignment: Future Studies	Both
60046	872	30	Scanning the Environment	Both
60062	872	10	Technology Futures	Both

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